

THE FRIENDLY BREAKFAST CLUB NEWSLETTER

December 24, 2025

Meetings

December is Disease Prevention and Treatment Month

12/26 NO MEETING - HAPPY HOLIDAYS

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1/9 GENERAL MEETING: Ray Ezelle; CEO & President, Discover Dunwoody

1/23 GENERAL MEETING

1/30 GENERAL MEETING: Dr. Joe Sutherland, Director of Emory Center for AI Learning

2/6 GENERAL MEETING: Dr. Albert Davis, The Importance of Friendship

2/13 GENERAL MEETING: Nell Benn, CEO, Agape Youth & Family Center

2/27 GENERAL MEETING:
Dana Rickman,
President/CEO, GA
Partnership for Excellence
in Education

Our Rotary Family BIRTHDAYS

12/4 Carter Stout

12/6 John Vinyard

12/8 Ardy Bastien

12/8 Rick Otness

12/13 Mary Cohen

12/15 Rick Woods

12/23 Erich Schuetz

12/31 Jack Sparks, Jr.

12/31 Jennie Stipick

12/31 Ron Barden

12/31 Ed Holliday

12/31 Matthew Johnson

No Friday Meeting This Week

May Your Days Be Merry and Bright ...



We don't wish for you to have a White Christmas unless that's your wish! We won't be meeting this Friday or next, and hope your travels are safe, and your gatherings filled with family and friends, good food and lots of fun! Photo from my sister's backyard menagerie at Lake of the Pines, Auburn, California where the forecast is lots of rain.

Books at Kingsley: Another Reason to Celebrate This Holiday Season!

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

12/14 Mark Galvin (34)

12/20 Jack Sparks, Jr. (20)

12/21 Anne Glenn (29)

12/26 Ed Holliday (49)

Rotary Online

https://dunwoodyrotary.org https://rotary6900.org/ https://rotary.org/

ROTARY CLUB OF DUNWOODY

Fridays, 7:15 am Maggiano's - Perimeter Mall 4400 Ashford Dunwoody Rd, Dunwoody, GA 30338 Atlanta, GA, GA 30338



LEADERSHIP

President Matthew

Johnson
Immediate PP Louise Barden

Vice President David Burr

Treasurer Carter Stout

Secretary Mark Galvin

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On December 16, our club made quick work of labeling books to be given to students in several grades at Kingsley Elementary School. This last service project for 2025 carries on a long tradition of giving the gift of reading to students at Dresden Elementary and Kingsley Elementary - books that may be the start of these children's personal library and love of reading! Thanks to Dr. Jennie Springer and Roy Ethridge for getting us started on this project nearly 30 years ago - and to Anita Augello for always making this a rewarding experience! See more pictures!

No Holiday Noise About Golf



Enjoy Christmas and the holidays with your family. If you were to think about the Dunwoody Golf Tournament at all:

- Save the date: May 18, 2026
- Check out the website: FORE! the Memories Rotary Club of Dunwoody Charity Golf Tournament
- Think about how you'd like to support our biggest fundraiser with your time, talents and treasures!

We'll be here to tell you more (and more) after the first of the year!

Wine Fellowship

Join Us for a 12th Night Wine Fellowship in January!



It's a 12th Night Wine Fellowship to ring in the New Year - also dubbed by hosts Ron and Louise Barden as an "ugly sweater/pretty sweater" duel! In any event, join your Dunwoody Rotary friends on Sunday, January 4, 2026 from 3-5 pm. Bring a bottle of wine or other beverage and a snack to share.

Mulled wine and non-alcoholic beverages will be served. And let's keep our Christmas

garb out for an extra week - we invite you to wear your ugly Christmas sweater ... Or a pretty Christmas sweater ... or whatever. Be aware: There will be prizes for the "ugliest" and the "prettiest" Christmas sweater.

The party will be at 5576 Colbert Trail, Peachtree Corners, GA. Our home phone is 770 447-9281.

Please RSVP to Louise by email at lbarden@comcast.net